



Department of Homeland Security (DHS)

Fiscal Year (FY) 2019 Nonprofit Security Grant Program (NSGP)

Dear Partners:

RIEMA is pleased to announce the continuation of the Department Homeland Security (DHS) Nonprofit Security Grant Program (NSGP) for FY 2019.

We are trying to get the word out to the Nonprofit communities to monitor our website for our grant roll out.

Can you assist us by sending this announcement to other nonprofits you are familiar with so that they may participate in this important grant program?

The FY 2019 guidance for application is now posted on the RIEMA website so perspective applicants may review and develop an application.

How to apply: Select the banner stating Nonprofit Security Grant Program. Fill in the form as directed. Please note, it is best to have all your agencies information available to you as the form needs to be filled out entirely. Partially filled out forms will not be accepted.

The following criteria applies to the RI Nonprofit Security Grant Program:

- Applicants must be 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations to be eligible.
- Applicants must be located within the State of Rhode Island
- Applicants must only request funding for equipment/activities that are consistent with the allowable cost's guidance listed in the **FY 2019 NOFO**. *(Please refer to the FY 2019 NOFO to gain perspective on allowable projects)*
- Applicants must submit their applications by **11:59 PM, Sunday May 19, 2019.**
- Applicants must include the organization's Dun & Bradstreet Number (DUNS) in the application template where requested.
- Applicants that do not have a DUNS number may get one by calling (866-705-5711).
- Applicants must also provide a "mission statement" which explains the nature of the applicant organization's purpose and mission. This will primarily be used to validate the organization's type identified in the Investment Justification as either: 1) Ideology-based/spiritual/religious; 2) Educational; 3) Medical; or 4) Other.
- Applicants must also provide the vulnerability/risk assessment on which the request in the application is based ***(see pages 9, of the FY 2019 NOFO)***. ***(Note previous applicants may use the previous risk assessment provided in the 2018 application)***
- ***Applicants are limited to projects costing no more than \$50,000.00***
- ***Applicant must agree to adhere to any Environmental and Historic Preservation requirements***
- ***Special Note: All RIEMA awards are reimbursement based***

The FY 2019 published NOFO is on the RIEMA website for review. Please consult the website for updates concerning the NSGP grant program.

Questions can be directed to EMA.Grants@ema.ri.gov.

